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Surveys covering the 1951 catch of fish and shellfish were made in all areas except the Mississippi River and its tributaries. Data on the operating units were also collected in each of the areas canvassed, except in the Lake States. In the following tables, the most recent operating unit and catch statistics are shown for each section of the country.

The catch of fishery products in all sections of the United States and Alaska during 1951 totaled approximately 4,414,045,000 pounds, valued at $360,996,000 to the fishermen. This represented a decrease of 10 percent in quantity but an increase of 5 percent in value compared with the landings of the previous year.

The following table, which contains recorded production for the areas in which surveys were made, and estimates for other regions, indicates the trend of the yield and value of the domestic catch during recent years.

Year	Pounds	Value to the fishermen	Average price per pound
1940	4,059,524,000	$98,957,000	2.44¢
1941	4,900,000,000	129,000,000	2.63
1942	3,876,524,000	170,338,000	4.39
1943	4,202,000,000	204,000,000	4.85
1944	4,500,000,000	213,000,000	4.73
1945	4,575,500,000	269,900,000	5.90
1946	4,456,000,000	310,000,000	6.96
1947	4,344,000,000	307,600,000	7.08
1948	4,575,000,000	367,000,000	8.02
1949	4,796,000,000	339,000,000	7.06
1950	4,884,909,000	343,876,000	7.04
1951	4,414,045,000	360,996,000	8.18

SUMMARY OF CATCH

(IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS AND THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

PRODUCT	NEW ENGLAND, 1951 AREA XX11		MIDDLE ATLANTIC, 1951 AREA XX111		CHESAPEAKE, 1951 AREA XX111	
	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
FISH.	850,095	45,117	501,939	11,247	226,574	8,634
SHELLFISH, ETC.	66,712	22,315	53,453	18,185	104,016	16,477
TOTAL.	916,807	67,432	555,392	29,432	330,590	25,111

PRODUCT	SOUTH ATLANTIC, 1951 AREA XXIV		GULF, 1951 AREA XXV		PACIFIC, 1951	
	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
FISH.	252,372	7,848	428,829	14,892	1,018,016	90,683
SHELLFISH, ETC.	58,411	10,118	220,839	48,731	48,436	6,661
WHALE PRODUCTS.	-	-	-	-	684	60
TOTAL.	310,783	17,966	649,668	63,623	1,067,136	97,404

PRODUCT	LAKES, 1951		MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES, 1950	
	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
FISH.	70,145	10,664	78,730	9,558
SHELLFISH, ETC.	1	(1)	27,066	546
TOTAL.	70,146	10,664	105,796	10,104

PRODUCT	ALASKA, 1951		TOTAL, VARIOUS YEARS	
	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
FISH.	396,143	38,023	3,822,843	236,666
SHELLFISH, ETC.	11,584	1,237	590,518	124,270
WHALE PRODUCTS.	-	-	684	60
TOTAL.	407,727	39,260	4,414,045	360,996

1/ LESS THAN 500 DOLLARS. NOTE:--ROMAN NUMERALS APPEARING UNDER THE NAMES OF THE SECTIONS ARE THE NUMBERS GIVEN THE AREAS BY THE NORTH AMERICAN COUNCIL ON FISHERY INVESTIGATIONS.

SUMMARY OF OPERATING UNITS

ITEM	NEW ENGLAND, 1951	MIDDLE ATLANTIC, 1951	CHESAPEAKE, 1951	SOUTH ATLANTIC, 1951	GULF, 1951
	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER
FISHERMEN:					
ON VESSELS.	6,100	4,074	1,970	3,471	8,719
ON BOATS AND SHORE. .	17,539	9,308	15,663	10,032	13,158
TOTAL.	23,639	13,382	17,633	13,503	21,877
VESSELS:					
STEAM	3	1	-	-	-
NET TONNAGE	191	297	-	-	-
MOTOR	878	623	330	1,120	2,431
NET TONNAGE	29,503	16,374	5,278	14,512	43,554
SAIL.	-	1	104	3	-
NET TONNAGE	-	33	1,142	39	-
TOTAL VESSELS. . .	881	625	434	1,123	2,431
TOTAL NET TONNAGE.	29,694	16,704	6,420	14,551	43,554
BOATS:					
MOTOR	8,792	4,810	8,086	2,758	5,458
OTHER	4,249	903	3,352	3,230	3,960
ACCESSORY BOATS	148	168	60	273	221

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SUMMARY OF OPERATING UNITS - Continued

ITEM	NEW ENGLAND, 1951	MIDDLE ATLANTIC, 1951	CHESAPEAKE, 1951	SOUTH ATLANTIC, 1951	GULF, 1951
	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER
APPARATUS:					
PURSE SEINES AND LAMPARA NETS	102	50	20	65	64
HAUL SEINES	97	211	549	477	166
STOP SEINES	144	-	-	-	-
GILL NETS	218	703	2,085	2,622	1,590
TRAMMEL NETS	-	-	-	28	891
HOOKS AND BAITS	1,202,989	278,068	974,721	626,314	970,855
POUND NETS	85	223	1,784	1,775	-
FLOATING TRAPS	65	-	-	-	-
WEIRS	213	41	-	-	-
STOP NETS	15	2	3	-	-
FYKE NETS	43	1,119	2,653	239	1,564
OTHER NETS 2/	1,140	48	1,308	465	5,113
OTTER TRAWLS	977	313	54	1,966	5,001
BEAM TRAWLS	-	20	-	-	-
EEL POTS	1,486	1,231	21,603	440	-
LOBSTER POTS	507,927	4,885	-	12,312	4,625
CRAB, CRAWFISH, AND FISH POTS AND TRAPS	2,171	31,562	88,888	17,965	10,860
BRUSH TRAPS	-	-	-	-	96,500
HARPOONS AND SPEARS	108	6	-	350	125
DREDGES:					
CLAM	61	144	8	69	-
CRAB	-	63	333	-	-
OYSTER	79	393	925	426	329
SCALLOP	4,403	160	-	-	185
OTHER	-	-	2	-	-
SCRAPES	-	-	733	-	-
FORKS, GRABS, HOES, RAKES, SHOVELS, AND TONGS	6,799	8,009	7,797	1,129	1,495
DIVING OUTFITS	-	-	-	-	3
OTHER APPARATUS 3/	820	-	480	268	287

ITEM	PACIFIC, 1951	LAKES, 1950	MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES, 1950	ALASKA, 1951	TOTAL, VARIOUS YEARS EXCLUSIVE OF DUPLICATION
	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER
FISHERMEN:					
ON VESSELS	15,613	1,988	-	1/14,097	54,574
ON BOATS AND SHORE	12,915	2,853	19,197	(1)	100,665
TOTAL	28,528	4,841	19,197	14,097	155,239
VESSELS:					
STEAM	-	-	-	-	4
NET TONNAGE	-	-	-	-	488
MOTOR	3,308	661	-	2,046	11,130
NET TONNAGE	85,467	7,864	-	27,048	221,472
SAIL	-	-	-	-	108
NET TONNAGE	-	-	-	-	1,214
TOTAL VESSELS	3,308	661	-	2,046	11,242
TOTAL NET TONNAGE	85,467	7,864	-	27,048	223,174
BOATS:					
MOTOR	5,827	1,437	5,634	2,947	45,749
OTHER	556	373	12,086	1,736	30,445
ACCESSORY BOATS	1,061	191	310	-	2,355
APPARATUS:					
PURSE SEINES AND LAMPARA NETS	1,058	-	-	898	2,234
HAUL SEINES	121	337	1,817	226	4,001
STOP SEINES	-	-	-	-	144
GILL NETS	3,778	117,507	3,714	6,441	138,658
TRAMMEL NETS	45	-	1,200	-	2,164
HOOKS AND BAITS	989,789	579,515	4,569,117	1,049,589	11,231,357
POUND NETS	2	1,103	48	386	5,406
TRAP NETS	-	7,339	-	-	7,339
FLOATING TRAPS	-	-	-	-	65
WEIRS	1	-	-	-	255
STOP NETS	-	-	-	-	20
FYKE NETS	1,720	1,012	82,300	-	90,650
OTHER NETS 2/	1,525	792	345	21	10,757

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SUMMARY OF OPERATING UNITS - Continued

ITEM	PACIFIC, 1951	LAKES, 1950	MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES, 1950	ALASKA, 1951	TOTAL, VARIOUS YEARS EXCLUSIVE OF DUPLICATION
	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER
APPARATUS-CONTINUED					
OTTER TRAWLS	304	-	-	4	8,411
BEAM TRAWLS	23	-	-	17	60
EEL POTS	-	-	-	-	24,760
LOBSTER POTS	4,395	-	-	-	534,144
CRAB, CRAWFISH AND FISH POTS AND TRAPS	64,851	-	17,155	8,375	241,827
BRUSH TRAPS	-	-	-	-	96,500
HARPOONS AND SPEARS	88	-	70	-	747
DREDGES:					
CLAM	-	-	-	-	281
CRAB	-	-	-	-	396
OYSTER	73	-	-	-	2,215
SCALLOP	-	-	-	-	4,719
OTHER	-	-	-	-	2
SCRAPES	-	-	-	-	733
CROWFOOT BARS	-	-	2,070	-	2,070
FORKS, GRABS, HOES, RAKES, SHOVESL AND TONGS	3,013	-	1,145	-	29,387
DIVING OUTFITS	65	-	26	-	94
OTHER APPARATUS 3/	610	-	-	-	2,465

1/ IN ALASKA, THE PERSONS IN THE BOAT AND SHORE FISHERIES ARE INCLUDED WITH THOSE IN THE VESSEL FISHERIES.
2/ INCLUDES BAG, BRAIL OR SCOOP, CAST, CHANNEL, DIP, DROP, LIFT, REEF, AND TANGLE NETS.
3/ INCLUDES PERIWINKLE AND COCKLE AND TURTLE POTS, OCTOPUS AND SHRIMP TRAPS, BOX AND SLAT TRAPS, AND SPONGE AND OTHER HOOKS.

NOTE:--PRIOR TO 1951, OPERATING UNITS WERE CREDITED ONLY TO THE SECTION IN WHICH THEY LANDED THE MAJOR PORTION OF THEIR CATCH. BEGINNING IN 1951, EACH OPERATING UNIT IS CREDITED TO EACH SECTION IN WHICH FISHING WAS CONDUCTED AND A TOTAL EXCLUSIVE OF DUPLICATION IS LISTED FOR THE UNITED STATES AND ALASKA.

UNITED STATES AND ALASKA - CATCH BY REGION

(IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS AND THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

SPECIES	NEW ENGLAND, 1951		MIDDLE ATLANTIC, 1951		CHESAPEAKE, 1951	
FISH	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
ALEWIVES	5,152	43	119	3	39,356	580
AMBERJACK	1	(1)	(1)	(1)	-	-
ANCHOVIES	3	(1)	-	-	-	-
ANGLERFISH	32	1	130	5	-	-
BLUEFISH	120	25	1,296	293	264	40
BOWFIN	-	-	-	-	3	(1)
BUTTERFISH	4,137	341	5,679	400	784	58
CABIO OR CRAB EATER	-	-	-	-	11	2
CARP	53	5	77	6	1,086	59
CATFISH AND BULLHEADS	-	-	106	10	1,747	125
COD	47,479	3,318	2,541	317	3	(1)
CRAPPIE	-	-	-	-	1	(1)
CREVALLE	(1)	(1)	-	-	-	-
CROAKER	-	-	55	5	6,074	921
CUNNER	17	(1)	-	-	-	-
CUSK	3,922	182	1	(1)	-	-
DOLPHIN	(1)	(1)	-	-	-	-
DRUM:						
BLACK	-	-	3	(1)	73	4
RED OR REDFISH	-	-	(1)	(1)	80	6
EELS:						
COMMON	124	21	413	75	1,240	140
CONGER	58	2	46	2	12	(1)
FLOUNDERS	60,550	7,811	7,460	1,259	2,333	392
FRIGATE MACKEREL	1	(1)	1	(1)	-	-
GIZZARD SHAD	-	-	-	-	310	7
GRAYFISH	39	1	64	3	-	-
GRUNTS	-	-	3	(1)	-	-
HADDOCK	153,291	11,887	812	81	-	-

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UNITED STATES AND ALASKA - CATCH BY REGION - Continued

(IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS AND THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

SPECIES	NEW ENGLAND, 1951		MIDDLE ATLANTIC, 1951		CHESAPEAKE, 1951	
FISH - CONTINUED	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
HAKE:						
RED	4,561	83	604	24	-	-
WHITE	12,008	549	193	15	38	2
HALIBUT	432	98	1	(1)	-	-
HARVESTFISH OR "STARFISH"	-	-	-	-	297	24
HERRING, SEA	64,913	975	2,215	29	84	2
HICKORY SHAD	-	-	(1)	(1)	185	9
HOGCHOKER	-	-	-	-	11	(1)
HOGFISH	-	-	(1)	(1)	-	-
KING MACKEREL	-	-	17	1	-	-
KING WHITING OR "KINGFISH"	1	(1)	84	9	107	8
LAUNCE	42	1	-	-	-	-
MACKEREL	9,935	831	869	112	4,939	544
MENHADEN	11,761	162	441,824	4,988	127,425	1,115
MINNOWS	99	7	-	-	-	-
MULLET	2	(1)	31	1	153	12
OCEAN PERCH, ATLANTIC	258,320	12,597	-	-	-	-
OCEAN POUT	139	2	-	-	-	-
PIGFISH	-	-	-	-	33	2
PIKE OR PICKEREL	-	-	-	-	14	2
PILOTFISH	(1)	(1)	2	(1)	-	-
POLLOCK	22,710	1,001	7	1	-	-
SALMON, ATLANTIC	2	1	-	-	-	-
TOTAL SALMON	2	1	-	-	-	-
SAND PERCH	-	-	-	-	14	1
SCUP OR PORGY	6,928	566	18,419	1,424	11,095	986
SEA BASS, BLACK (ATLANTIC)	890	91	8,450	1,059	9,092	929
SEA ROBIN	317	4	11	(1)	103	3
SEA TROUT OR WEAKFISH:						
GRAY	3	(1)	2,783	283	2,212	349
SPOTTED	-	-	-	-	67	16
SHAD	492	68	1,254	253	4,849	845
SHARKS	90	6	30	2	479	14
SILVERSIDES	(1)	(1)	-	-	-	-
SKATES	313	6	76	3	18	(1)
SMELT	103	27	-	-	-	-
SPANISH MACKEREL	-	-	-	-	7	1
SPOT	10	(1)	145	7	5,159	367
STRIPED BASS	265	57	981	245	4,140	852
STURGEON, COMMON	11	2	12	3	17	4
SUCKERS	24	2	6	1	19	1
SUNFISH	-	-	1	(1)	3	(1)
SWELLFISH	41	2	866	55	687	21
SWORDFISH	200	97	2	1	-	-
TAUTOG	130	6	40	2	29	2
THIMBLE-EYED MACKEREL	(1)	(1)	18	1	-	-
TILEFISH	1,715	145	544	46	16	1
TUNA AND TUNALIKE FISHES:						
BLUEFIN	1,739	129	21	2	-	-
BONITO	1	(1)	13	2	27	3
LITTLE	-	-	358	7	12	1
TOTAL TUNA AND TUNALIKE FISHES	1,740	129	392	11	39	4
WHITEBAIT	1	(1)	-	-	-	-
WHITE PERCH	15	3	219	35	1,651	148
WHITING	118,466	2,804	1,581	98	29	1
WOLFFISH	1,985	110	4	(1)	-	-
YELLOW PERCH	1	(1)	2	(1)	171	25
UNCLASSIFIED	56,451	1,048	1,450	79	15	(1)
TOTAL	850,095	45,117	501,939	11,247	226,574	8,634
SHELLFISH, ETC.						
CRABS:						
BLUE:						
HARD	2	1	5,698	473	64,757	2,370
SOFT AND PEELERS	(1)	(1)	17	5	6,020	1,132
ROCK	2,329	127	-	-	-	-
TOTAL CRABS	2,331	128	5,715	478	70,777	3,502
HORSESHOE CRAB	-	-	616	4	-	-
LOBSTER, NORTHERN	25,534	9,221	409	157	3	1

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SPECIES	NEW ENGLAND, 1951		MIDDLE ATLANTIC, 1951		CHESAPEAKE, 1951	
SHELLFISH, ETC.-CONTINUED	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
SHRIMP	58	10	86	47	-	-
CLAMS:						
HARD	5,845	1,996	12,357	4,492	1,483	734
OCEAN QUAHOG	201	14	-	-	-	-
RAZOR	46	6	-	-	-	-
SOFT	6,992	1,986	10,880	1,207	1,614	180
SURF	26	7	-	-	-	-
TOTAL CLAMS	13,110	4,009	23,237	5,699	3,097	914
CONCHS	156	17	83	15	154	7
MUSSELS, SEA	684	46	38	8	-	-
OYSTERS, MARKET, EASTERN:						
PUBLIC	159	82	110	56	13,539	5,812
PRIVATE	1,811	934	17,300	9,653	16,059	6,157
TOTAL OYSTERS	1,970	1,016	17,410	9,709	29,598	11,969
PERIWINKLES AND COCKLES	4	1	-	-	-	-
SCALLOPS:						
BAY	1,253	959	101	121	-	-
SEA	14,444	6,471	4,259	1,825	43	28
SQUID	4,019	147	1,491	122	85	7
SEA URCHINS	55	1	-	-	-	-
TERRAPIN, DIAMOND-BACK	-	-	-	-	157	39
TURTLES:						
LOGGERHEAD	-	-	-	-	1	(1)
SNAPPER	-	-	8	(1)	101	10
TOTAL TURTLES	-	-	8	(1)	102	10
IRISH MOSS	2,730	40	-	-	-	-
BLOODWORMS	216	158	-	-	-	-
SANDWORMS	148	91	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	66,712	22,315	53,453	18,185	104,016	16,477
GRAND TOTAL	916,807	67,432	555,392	29,432	330,590	25,111

SPECIES	SOUTH ATLANTIC, 1951		GULF, 1951		PACIFIC, 1951	
FISH	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
ALEWIVES	13,048	140	22	1	-	-
AMBERJACK	26	1	25	1	-	-
ANCHOVIES	-	-	-	-	6,955	144
ANGELFISH	11	(1)	3	(1)	-	-
BARRACUDA	55	3	21	1	2,107	357
BLUEFISH	2,369	321	620	81	-	-
BLUE RUNNER OR HARDTAIL	164	9	818	40	-	-
BOWFIN	14	(1)	-	-	-	-
BUFFALOFISH	-	-	777	86	-	-
BUTTERFISH	28	2	1	(1)	-	-
CABEZONE	-	-	-	-	24	1
CABIO OR CRAB EATER	18	2	33	3	-	-
CABRILLA	-	-	-	-	392	59
CARP	1,297	38	16	1	932	41
CATFISH AND BULLHEADS	1,696	251	7,553	1,812	238	51
CERO	4	(1)	(1)	(1)	-	-
CIGARFISH	(1)	(1)	62	3	-	-
COD	-	-	-	-	9,568	516
CREVALLE	217	7	513	15	-	-
CROAKER	2,245	125	121	9	-	-
DOLPHIN	26	3	1	(1)	-	-
DRUM:						
BLACK	256	12	992	125	-	-
RED OR REDFISH	458	75	1,615	253	-	-
EELS, COMMON	48	4	1	(1)	-	-
FLOUNDERS	1,665	290	390	83	46,014	3,417
FLYING FISH	-	-	-	-	53	4
GARFISH	-	-	203	10	-	-
GOATFISH	145	15	(1)	(1)	-	-

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SPECIES	SOUTH ATLANTIC, 1951		GULF, 1951		PACIFIC, 1951	
	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
FISH-CONTINUED						
GRAYFISH	-	-	-	-	2/2,604	2/68
GROUPERS	1,302	143	5,862	592	584	117
GRUNTS	113	9	133	12	-	-
HAKE, PACIFIC	-	-	-	-	43	1
HALIBUT	-	-	-	-	15,578	2,671
HARVESTFISH OR "STARFISH"	556	35	-	-	-	-
HERRING, SEA	-	-	-	-	5,484	267
HICKORY SHAD	273	19	-	-	-	-
HOGFISH	28	3	13	2	-	-
JACK MACKEREL	-	-	-	-	89,838	2,016
JEWFISH	54	3	140	10	-	-
KINGFISH (CALIFORNIA)	-	-	-	-	682	45
KING MACKEREL	1,973	296	1,151	172	-	-
KING WHITING OR "KINGFISH"	2,764	257	799	64	-	-
LAMPREY	-	-	-	-	207	5
LINGCOD	-	-	-	-	6,666	592
MACKEREL	5	(1)	-	-	33,518	932
MENHADEN	188,090	1,846	357,965	4,872	-	-
MULLET	13,859	1,445	25,010	2,497	108	7
MUTTONFISH	105	18	43	7	-	-
OCEAN PERCH, PACIFIC	-	-	-	-	1,856	93
PADDLEFISH OR SPOONBILL CAT	-	-	23	4	-	-
PERCH	-	-	-	-	520	61
PERMIT	19	1	23	1	-	-
PIGFISH	318	12	29	2	-	-
PIKE OR PICKEREL	2	(1)	-	-	-	-
PILCHARD	-	-	-	-	328,894	7,248
PINFISH	859	17	164	8	-	-
POMPANO	501	248	483	241	64	22
PORKFISH	2	(1)	3	(1)	-	-
RATFISH	-	-	-	-	620	6
ROCK BASS	-	-	-	-	289	46
ROCKFISHES	-	-	-	-	25,337	1,409
SABLEFISH	-	-	-	-	8,203	703
SALMON:						
CHINOOK OR KING	-	-	-	-	27,410	7,452
CHUM OR KETA	-	-	-	-	12,199	1,633
PINK	-	-	-	-	33,978	5,097
RED OR SOCKEYE	-	-	-	-	8,264	2,535
SILVER OR COHO	-	-	-	-	15,784	3,423
TOTAL SALMON	-	-	-	-	97,635	20,140
SAND PERCH	(1)	(1)	-	-	-	-
SAWFISH	-	-	11	1	-	-
SCULPIN	-	-	-	-	101	18
SCUP OR PORGY	163	9	84	9	-	-
SEA BASS:						
BLACK (ATLANTIC)	279	36	-	-	-	-
BLACK (PACIFIC)	-	-	-	-	278	46
WHITE	-	-	-	-	1,533	364
SEA CATFISH	93	5	1,071	69	-	-
SEA TROUT OR WEAKFISH:						
GRAY	1,344	135	-	-	-	-
SPOTTED	1,654	413	4,099	963	-	-
WHITE	-	-	555	63	-	-
SHAD	1,882	470	(1)	(1)	1,976	138
SHARKS	15	1	11	1	965	94
SHEEPSHEAD:						
FRESH-WATER	-	-	746	75	-	-
SALT-WATER	102	10	204	21	61	6
SKATES	-	-	-	-	875	10
SMELT	-	-	-	-	3,175	357
SNAPPER:						
MANGROVE	249	35	229	32	-	-
RED	518	142	6,670	1,721	-	-
YELLOWTAIL	228	48	210	44	-	-
SNOOK OR SERGEANTFISH	192	25	508	66	-	-
SPADEFISH	-	-	(1)	(1)	-	-
SPANISH MACKEREL	2,183	230	6,511	688	20	2
SPOT	7,542	445	216	17	-	-
SQUAWFISH	-	-	-	-	1	(1)
STEELHEAD TROUT	-	-	-	-	1,240	266
STRIPED BASS	702	134	(1)	(1)	28	2

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SPECIES	SOUTH ATLANTIC, 1951		GULF, 1951		PACIFIC, 1951	
	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
FISH-CONTINUED						
STURGEON, COMMON	25	6	8	1	295	65
SUCKERS	1	(1)	-	-	-	-
SUNFISH	7	(1)	-	-	-	-
SWELLFISH	50	3	-	-	-	-
SWORDFISH	-	-	-	-	228	101
TENPOUNDER	45	1	1,016	40	-	-
TOMCOD	-	-	-	-	2	(1)
TRIGGERFISH	1	(1)	28	3	-	-
TRIPLETAIL	21	2	4	1	-	-
TUNA AND TUNALIKE FISHES:						
ALBACORE	-	-	-	-	34,491	5,403
BLUEFIN	-	-	-	-	3,862	604
BONITO	8	(1)	10	1	777	74
LITTLE	-	-	1	(1)	-	-
SKIPJACK	-	-	-	-	116,599	16,655
YELLOWFIN	-	-	3/348	3/45	161,481	24,961
TOTAL TUNA AND TUNALIKE FISHES	8	(1)	359	46	317,210	47,697
WARSAW	21	2	191	17	-	-
WHITEBAIT	-	-	-	-	162	16
WHITEFISH, OCEAN	-	-	-	-	18	2
WHITE PERCH	394	42	-	-	-	-
YELLOW PERCH	40	4	-	-		
YELLOWTAIL	-	-	-	-	4,670	443
UNCLASSIFIED	-	-	470	6	165	17
TOTAL	252,372	7,848	428,829	14,892	1,018,016	90,683
SHELLFISH, ETC.						
CRABS:						
BLUE:						
HARD	23,535	810	13,798	696	-	-
SOFT AND PEELERS	169	25	360	191	-	-
DUNGENESS	-	-	-	-	23,850	3,196
ROCK	-	-	-	-	23	2
STONE	7	4	60	29	-	-
TOTAL CRABS	23,711	839	14,218	916	23,873	3,198
CRAWFISH, FRESH-WATER	-	-	29	3	28	6
LOBSTER, SPINY	2,021	384	1,077	204	824	302
SHRIMP	27,771	7,382	193,651	44,137	1,042	107
ABALONE	-	-	-	-	817	365
CLAMS:						
HARD	861	203	9	4	246	129
RAZOR	-	-	-	-	399	201
MIXED	-	-	-	-	38	9
TOTAL CLAMS	861	203	9	4	683	339
CONCHS	-	-	23	2	-	-
OCTOPUS	-	-	-	-	59	4
OYSTERS, MARKET:						
EASTERN, PUBLIC	1,730	663	6,642	2,091	-	-
EASTERN, PRIVATE	2,053	539	4,877	1,090	25	28
PACIFIC	-	-	-	-	8,597	1,840
WESTERN	-	-	-	-	88	125
TOTAL OYSTERS	3,783	1,202	11,519	3,181	8,710	1,993
SCALLOPS, BAY	183	96	252	161	17	11
SQUID	(1)	(1)	3	(1)	12,383	336
TERRAPIN, DIAMOND-BACK	5	3	(1)	(1)	-	-
TURTLES:						
GREEN	(1)	(1)	9	1	-	-
LOGGERHEAD	(1)	(1)	4	1	-	-
SNAPPER	67	8	1	(1)	-	-
SOFT-SHELL	9	1	-	-	-	-
TOTAL TURTLES	76	9	14	2	-	-
FROGS	(1)	(1)	28	10	-	-
SPONGES	-	-	16	111	-	-
TOTAL	58,411	10,118	220,839	48,731	48,436	6,661

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SPECIES	SOUTH ATLANTIC, 1951		GULF, 1951		PACIFIC, 1951	
	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
SHELLFISH, ETC.-CONTINUED						
WHALE PRODUCTS						
MEAL	-	-	-	-	170	10
OIL:						
WHALE	-	-	-	-	139	13
SPERM	-	-	-	-	375	37
TOTAL	-	-	-	-	684	60
GRAND TOTAL	310,783	17,966	649,668	63,623	1,067,136	97,404

SPECIES	LAKES, 1951		MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES, 1950	
FISH	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
ALEWIVES	(1)	(1)	-	-
BLUE PIKE	2,402	625	-	-
BOWFIN	22	1	442	46
BUFFALOFISH	2	(1)	25,011	3,470
BURBOT	571	31	23	(1)
CARP	5,055	262	26,913	1,595
CARPSUCKER	-	-	28	1
CATFISH AND BULLHEADS	1,809	416	14,222	3,193
CHUB	10,529	1,690	-	-
CISCO	155	57	-	-
CRAPPIE	(1)	(1)	188	38
EELS, COMMON	11	2	3	1
GARFISH	(1)	(1)	2,256	102
GIZZARD SHAD	(1)	(1)	-	-
GOLDFISH	126	6	-	-
HERRING, LAKE	20,177	981	-	-
LAKE TROUT	2,928	1,246	-	-
MOONEYE AND GOLDEYE	21	1	67	6
PADDLEFISH OR SPOONBILL CAT	-	-	961	123
PIKE OR PICKEREL	129	14	54	7
QUILLBACK	2	(1)	945	125
ROCK BASS	26	3	-	-
SAUGER	472	117	-	-
SHAD	-	-	19	1
SHEEPSHEAD, FRESH-WATER	3,616	180	6,625	674
SMELT	3,624	235	-	-
STURGEON, SHOVELNOSE	13	17	72	12
SUCKERS	3,031	163	210	19
SUNFISH	6	1	63	5
TULLIBEE	431	41	-	-
WHITE BASS	1,037	205	40	4
WHITEFISH:				
COMMON	2,761	1,306	65	12
MENOMINEE	130	24	-	-
YELLOW PERCH	4,355	983	139	29
YELLOW PIKE	6,704	2,057	383	95
UNCLASSIFIED	-	-	1	(1)
TOTAL	70,145	10,664	78,730	9,558
SHELLFISH, ETC.				
CRAWFISH, FRESH-WATER	1	(1)	1,010	58
MUSSEL SHELLS	-	-	23,062	380
TURTLES:				
LOGGERHEAD	-	-	38	3
SNAPPER	-	-	227	22
SOFT-SHELL	-	-	19	2
BABY	-	-	2,474	22
UNCLASSIFIED	-	-	74	5
TOTAL TURTLES	-	-	2,832	54
FROGS	-	-	162	42
PEARLS AND SLUGS	-	-	-	12
TOTAL	1	(1)	27,066	546
GRAND TOTAL	70,146	10,664	105,796	10,104

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SPECIES	ALASKA, 1951		TOTAL, VARIOUS YEARS	
FISH	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
ALEWIVES	-	-	57,697	767
AMBERJACK	-	-	52	2
ANCHOVIES	-	-	6,958	144
ANGELFISH	-	-	14	(1)
ANGLERFISH	-	-	162	6
BARRACUDA	-	-	2,183	361
BLUEFISH	-	-	4,669	760
BLUE PIKE	-	-	2,402	625
BLUE RUNNER OR HARDTAIL	-	-	982	49
BOWFIN	-	-	481	47
BUFFALOFISH	-	-	25,790	3,556
BURBOT	-	-	594	31
BUTTERFISH	-	-	10,629	801
CABEZONE	-	-	24	1
CABIO OR CRAB EATER	-	-	62	7
CABRILLA	-	-	392	59
CARP	-	-	35,429	2,007
CARPSUCKER	-	-	28	1
CATFISH AND BULLHEADS	-	-	27,371	5,858
CERO	-	-	4	(1)
CHUB	-	-	10,529	1,690
CIGARFISH	-	-	62	3
CISCO	-	-	155	57
COD	-	-	59,591	4,151
CRAPPIE	-	-	189	38
CREVALLE	-	-	730	22
CROAKER	-	-	8,495	1,060
CUNNER	-	-	17	(1)
CUSK	-	-	3,923	182
DOLLY VARDEN TROUT	24	2	24	2
DOLPHIN	-	-	27	3
DRUM:				
BLACK	-	-	1,324	141
RED OR REDFISH	-	-	2,153	334
EELS:				
COMMON	-	-	1,840	243
CONGER	-	-	116	4
FLOUNDERS	5	1	118,417	13,253
FLYING FISH	-	-	53	4
FRIGATE MACKEREL	-	-	2	(1)
GARFISH	-	-	2,459	112
GIZZARD SHAD	-	-	310	7
GOATFISH	-	-	145	15
GOLDFISH	-	-	126	6
GRAYFISH	-	-	2,707	72
GROUPERS	-	-	7,748	852
GRUNTS	-	-	249	21
HADDOCK	-	-	154,103	11,968
HAKE:				
PACIFIC	-	-	43	1
RED	-	-	5,165	107
WHITE	-	-	12,239	566
HALIBUT	32,045	4,117	48,056	6,886
HARVESTFISH OR "STARFISH"	-	-	853	59
HERRING:				
LAKE	-	-	20,177	981
SEA	81,625	1,003	154,321	2,276
HICKORY SHAD	-	-	458	28
HOGCHOKER	-	-	11	(1)
HOGFISH	-	-	41	5
JACK MACKEREL	-	-	89,838	2,016
JEWFISH	-	-	194	13
KINGFISH (CALIFORNIA)	-	-	682	45
KING MACKEREL	-	-	3,141	469
KING WHITING OR "KINGFISH"	-	-	3,755	338
LAKE TROUT	-	-	2,928	1,246
LAMPREY	-	-	207	5
LAUNCE	-	-	42	1
LINGCOD	13	1	6,679	593
MACKEREL	-	-	49,266	2,419
MENHADEN	-	-	1,127,065	12,983
MINNOWS	-	-	99	7
MOONEYE AND GOLDEYE	-	-	88	7
MULLET	-	-	39,163	3,962
MUTTONFISH	-	-	148	25

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SPECIES	ALASKA, 1951		TOTAL, VARIOUS YEARS	
FISH-CONTINUED	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
OCEAN PERCH:				
ATLANTIC	-	-	258,320	12,597
PACIFIC	-	-	1,856	93
OCEAN POUT	-	-	139	2
PADDLEFISH OR SPOONBILL CAT	-	-	984	127
PERCH	-	-	520	61
PERMIT	-	-	42	2
PIGFISH	-	-	380	16
PIKE OR PICKEREL	-	-	199	23
PILCHARD	-	-	328,894	7,248
PILOTFISH	-	-	2	(1)
PINFISH	-	-	1,023	25
POLLOCK	-	-	22,717	1,002
POMPANO	-	-	1,048	511
PORKFISH	-	-	5	(1)
QUILLBACK	-	-	947	125
RATFISH	-	-	620	6
ROCK BASS	-	-	315	49
ROCKFISHES	8	(1)	25,345	1,409
SABLEFISH	5,815	530	14,018	1,233
SALMON:				
ATLANTIC	-	-	2	1
CHINOOK OR KING	15,791	3,037	43,201	10,489
CHUM OR KETA	52,934	4,378	65,133	6,011
PINK	113,666	13,137	147,644	18,234
RED OR SOCKEYE	57,917	6,712	66,181	9,247
SILVER OR COHO	36,280	5,104	52,064	8,527
TOTAL SALMON	276,588	32,368	374,225	52,509
SAND PERCH	-	-	14	1
SAUGER	-	-	472	117
SAWFISH	-	-	11	1
SCULPIN	-	-	101	18
SCUP OR PORGY	-	-	36,689	2,994
SEA BASS:				
BLACK (ATLANTIC)	-	-	18,711	2,115
BLACK (PACIFIC)	-	-	278	46
WHITE	-	-	1,533	364
SEA CATFISH	-	-	1,164	74
SEA ROBIN	-	-	431	7
SEA TROUT OR WEAKFISH:				
GRAY	-	-	6,342	767
SPOTTED	-	-	5,820	1,392
WHITE	-	-	555	63
SHAD	-	-	10,472	1,775
SHARKS	11	(1)	1,601	118
SHEEPSHEAD:				
FRESH-WATER	-	-	10,987	929
SALT-WATER	-	-	367	37
SILVERSIDES	-	-	(1)	(1)
SKATES	-	-	1,282	19
SMELT	-	-	6,902	619
SNAPPER:				
MANGROVE	-	-	478	67
RED	-	-	7,188	1,863
YELLOWTAIL	-	-	438	92
SNOOK OR SERGEANTFISH	-	-	700	91
SPADEFISH	-	-	(1)	(1)
SPANISH MACKEREL	-	-	8,721	921
SPOT	-	-	13,072	836
SQUAWFISH	-	-	1	(1)
STEELHEAD TROUT	6	1	1,246	267
STRIPED BASS	-	-	6,116	1,300
STURGEON:				
COMMON	-	-	368	81
SHOVELNOSE	-	-	85	29
SUCKERS	-	-	3,291	186
SUNFISH	-	-	80	6
SWELLFISH	-	-	1,644	81
SWORDFISH	-	-	430	199
TAUTOG	-	-	199	10
TENPOUNDER	-	-	1,061	41
THIMBLE-EYED MACKEREL	-	-	18	1
TILEFISH	-	-	2,275	192
TOMCOD	-	-	2	(1)
TRIGGERFISH	-	-	29	3

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SPECIES	ALASKA, 1951		TOTAL, VARIOUS YEARS	
FISH-CONTINUED	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
TRIPLETAIL	-	-	25	3
TULLIBEE	-	-	431	41
TUNA AND TUNALIKE FISHES:				
ALBACORE	-	-	34,491	5,403
BLUEFIN	-	-	5,622	735
BONITO	-	-	836	80
LITTLE	-	-	371	8
SKIPJACK	-	-	116,599	16,655
YELLOWFIN	-	-	161,829	25,006
TOTAL TUNA AND TUNALIKE FISHES	-	-	319,748	47,887
WARSAW	-	-	212	19
WHITEBAIT	-	-	163	16
WHITE BASS	-	-	1,077	209
WHITEFISH:				
COMMON	-	-	2,826	1,318
MENOMINEE	-	-	130	24
OCEAN	-	-	18	2
WHITE PERCH	-	-	2,279	228
WHITING	-	-	120,076	2,903
WOLFFISH	-	-	1,989	110
YELLOW PERCH	-	-	4,708	1,041
YELLOW PIKE	-	-	7,087	2,152
YELLOWTAIL	-	-	4,670	443
UNCLASSIFIED	3	(1)	58,555	1,150
TOTAL	396,143	38,023	3,822,843	236,666
SHELLFISH, ETC.				
CRABS:				
BLUE:				
HARD	-	-	107,790	4,350
SOFT AND PEELERS	-	-	6,566	1,353
DUNGENESS	5,482	478	29,332	3,674
KING	1,994	228	1,994	228
ROCK	-	-	2,352	129
STONE	-	-	67	33
TANNER	12	1	12	1
TOTAL CRABS	7,488	707	148,113	9,768
CRAYFISH, FRESH-WATER	-	-	1,068	67
HORSESHOE CRAB	-	-	616	4
LOBSTER:				
NORTHERN	-	-	25,946	9,379
SPINY	-	-	3,922	890
SHRIMP	1,708	179	224,316	51,862
ABALONE	-	-	817	365
CLAMS:				
COCKLES	32	3	32	3
HARD	(1)	(1)	20,801	7,558
OCEAN QUAHOG	-	-	201	14
RAZOR	2,356	348	2,801	555
SOFT	-	-	19,486	3,373
SURF	-	-	26	7
MIXED	-	-	38	9
TOTAL CLAMS	2,388	351	43,385	11,519
CONCHS	-	-	416	41
MUSSELS, SEA	-	-	722	54
MUSSEL SHELLS	-	-	23,062	380
OCTOPUS	-	-	59	4
OYSTERS, MARKET:				
EASTERN, PUBLIC	-	-	22,180	8,704
EASTERN PRIVATE	-	-	42,125	18,401
PACIFIC	-	-	8,597	1,840
WESTERN	-	-	88	125
TOTAL OYSTERS	-	-	72,990	29,070
PERIWINKLES AND COCKLES	-	-	4	1
SCALLOPS:				
BAY	-	-	1,806	1,348
SEA	-	-	18,746	8,324

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SPECIES	ALASKA, 1951		TOTAL, VARIOUS YEARS	
	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
SHELLFISH, ETC.-CONTINUED				
SQUID	-	-	17,981	612
SEA URCHINS	-	-	55	1
TERRAPIN, DIAMOND-BACK	-	-	162	42
TURTLES:				
GREEN	-	-	9	1
LOGGERHEAD	-	-	43	4
SNAPPER	-	-	404	40
SOFT-SHELL	-	-	28	3
BABY	-	-	2,474	22
UNCLASSIFIED	-	-	74	5
TOTAL TURTLES	-	-	3,032	75
FROGS	-	-	190	52
IRISH MOSS	-	-	2,730	40
SPONGES	-	-	16	111
PEARLS AND SLUGS	-	-	-	12
BLOODWORMS	-	-	216	158
SANDWORMS	-	-	148	91
TOTAL	11,584	1,237	590,518	124,270
WHALE PRODUCTS				
MEAL	-	-	170	10
OIL:				
WHALE	-	-	139	13
SPERM	-	-	375	37
TOTAL	-	-	684	60
GRAND TOTAL	407,727	39,260	4,414,045	360,996

1/ LESS THAN 500 POUNDS OR 500 DOLLARS.
2/ THE CATCH OF GRAYFISH IN CALIFORNIA IS INCLUDED WITH SHARKS.
3/ THE CATCH OF YELLOWFIN TUNA IN THE GULF REGION WAS TAKEN IN THE PACIFIC OCEAN.

UNITED STATES AND ALASKA - CATCH BY STATES

STATES	MARINE WATERS AND COASTAL RIVERS, 1951		MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES, 1950	
	POUNDS	VALUE	POUNDS	VALUE
ALABAMA	13,642,700	$2,639,100	7,885,500	$505,067
ARKANSAS	-	-	13,157,200	1,610,060
CALIFORNIA	862,148,900	66,597,247	-	-
CONNECTICUT	11,184,900	1,299,248	-	-
DELAWARE	175,657,200	3,781,062	-	-
FLORIDA	207,880,400	22,152,917	-	-
GEORGIA	15,248,100	2,614,740	-	-
ILLINOIS	-	-	9,064,500	688,222
IOWA	-	-	1,979,600	181,406
KENTUCKY	-	-	2,134,000	346,892
LOUISIANA	316,639,200	25,381,233	16,593,600	1,852,962
MAINE	223,051,000	15,606,047	-	-
MARYLAND	64,702,100	10,145,889	-	-
MASSACHUSETTS	633,188,900	46,814,722	-	-
MINNESOTA	-	-	13,009,900	1,371,542
MISSISSIPPI	132,825,100	4,490,116	7,676,500	1,082,318
MISSOURI	-	-	685,000	72,851
NEW HAMPSHIRE	587,500	215,477	-	-
NEW JERSEY	241,648,200	10,607,217	-	-
NEW YORK	138,086,400	15,044,077	-	-
NORTH CAROLINA	157,864,800	6,329,071	-	-
OKLAHOMA	-	-	1,166,700	193,962
OREGON	53,045,900	7,183,878	-	-
RHODE ISLAND	48,795,300	3,496,174	-	-

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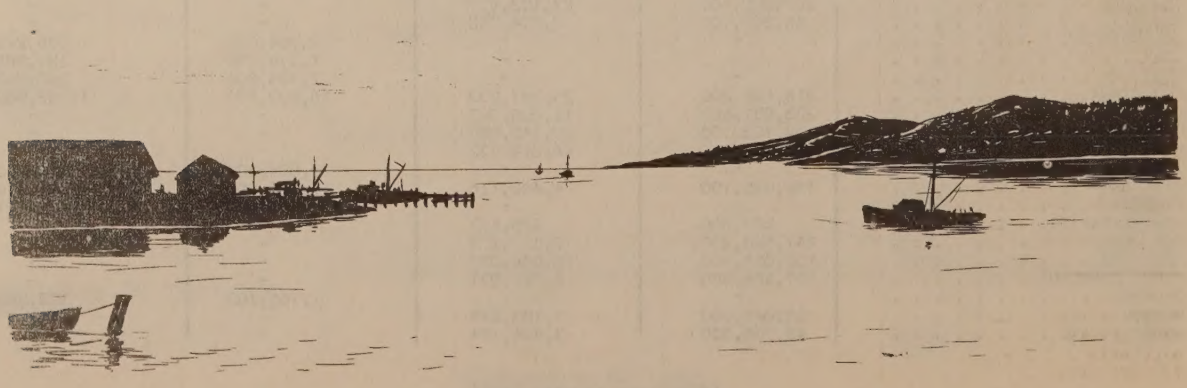
STATES	MARINE WATERS AND COASTAL RIVERS, 1951		MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES, 1950	
	POUNDS	VALUE	POUNDS	VALUE
SOUTH CAROLINA	18,061,600	$2,283,175	-	-
SOUTH DAKOTA	-	-	2,817,200	$112,418
TENNESSEE	-	-	20,528,600	1,428,300
TEXAS	98,290,100	15,698,923	-	-
VIRGINIA	265,887,500	14,964,950	-	-
WASHINGTON	151,941,000	23,622,367	-	-
WISCONSIN	-	-	9,097,500	658,129
ALASKA	407,726,696	39,260,240	-	-
TOTAL	4,238,103,496	340,227,870	105,795,800	10,104,129

STATES	GREAT LAKES AND INTERNATIONAL LAKES, 1951		TOTAL, VARIOUS YEARS	
	POUNDS	VALUE	POUNDS	VALUE
ALABAMA	-	-	21,528,200	$3,144,167
ARKANSAS	-	-	13,157,200	1,610,060
CALIFORNIA	-	-	862,148,900	66,597,247
CONNECTICUT	-	-	11,184,900	1,299,248
DELAWARE	-	-	175,657,200	3,781,062
FLORIDA	-	-	207,880,400	22,152,917
GEORGIA	-	-	15,248,100	2,614,740
ILLINOIS	1,049,600	$206,458	10,114,100	894,680
INDIANA	89,500	9,862	89,500	9,862
IOWA	-	-	1,979,600	181,406
KENTUCKY	-	-	2,134,000	346,892
LOUISIANA	-	-	333,232,800	27,234,195
MAINE	-	-	223,051,000	15,606,047
MARYLAND	-	-	64,702,100	10,145,889
MASSACHUSETTS	-	-	633,188,900	46,814,722
MICHIGAN	25,020,700	3,408,693	25,020,700	3,408,693
MINNESOTA	4,019,400	420,221	17,029,300	1,791,763
MISSISSIPPI	-	-	140,501,600	5,572,434
MISSOURI	-	-	685,000	72,851
NEW HAMPSHIRE	-	-	587,500	215,477
NEW JERSEY	-	-	241,648,200	10,607,217
NEW YORK	800,100	197,904	138,886,500	15,241,981
NORTH CAROLINA	-	-	157,864,800	6,329,071
OHIO	18,700,000	3,954,811	18,700,000	3,954,811
OKLAHOMA	-	-	1,166,700	193,962
OREGON	-	-	53,045,900	7,183,878
PENNSYLVANIA	735,600	285,216	735,600	285,216
RHODE ISLAND	-	-	48,795,300	3,496,174
SOUTH CAROLINA	-	-	18,061,600	2,283,175
SOUTH DAKOTA	-	-	2,817,200	112,418
TENNESSEE	-	-	20,528,600	1,428,300
TEXAS	-	-	98,290,100	15,698,923
VIRGINIA	-	-	265,887,500	14,964,950
WASHINGTON	-	-	151,941,000	23,622,367
WISCONSIN	19,731,200	2,180,422	28,828,700	2,838,551
ALASKA	-	-	407,726,696	39,260,240
TOTAL	70,146,100	10,663,587	4,414,045,396	360,995,586



UNITED STATES AND ALASKA - CATCH BY GEAR

GEAR	NEW ENGLAND, 1951		MIDDLE ATLANTIC, 1951		CHESAPEAKE 1951	
	POUNDS	VALUE	POUNDS	VALUE	POUNDS	VALUE
PURSE SEINES	27,977,900	$881,925	412,458,400	$4,789,670	118,134,000	$1,063,206
HAUL SEINES	1,205,300	52,934	1,973,300	307,014	14,669,800	1,300,819
STOP SEINES	32,472,400	499,909	-	-	-	-
GILL NETS	9,946,100	614,053	2,339,100	418,193	10,462,100	1,437,547
LINES	22,431,100	1,667,631	2,723,800	367,855	21,256,100	750,741
POUND NETS	7,451,200	363,486	44,999,700	1,287,369	54,251,100	1,842,002
FLOATING TRAPS	7,214,500	413,763	-	-	-	-
WEIRS	20,040,500	307,352	662,200	9,027	-	-
STOP NETS	4,900	895	7,600	378	25,900	957
FYKE OR DROP NETS	35,900	3,339	456,900	43,872	2,809,600	297,022
DIP NETS	4,182,500	119,719	28,200	7,855	265,000	67,590
BAG NETS	48,100	13,219	-	-	-	-
LIFT NETS	100,000	1,000	-	-	-	-
OTTER TRAWLS	720,525,900	40,276,186	35,974,500	3,886,561	25,350,200	2,658,238
BEAM TRAWLS	-	-	86,500	47,575	-	-
SLAT TRAPS	-	-	-	-	4,500	90
OTHER TRAPS	49,000	9,906	-	-	-	-
POTS	28,056,600	9,370,946	4,318,400	567,533	37,188,900	1,349,852
HARPOONS	311,200	110,794	2,100	1,155	-	-
SPEARS	200	38	3,600	730	-	-
SCRAPES	-	-	-	-	4,467,100	829,460
DREDGES	18,525,300	8,372,712	37,749,200	13,432,440	26,484,100	7,103,310
TONGS	2,806,600	980,428	9,405,900	3,423,947	14,002,700	5,893,753
RAKES	4,851,200	863,812	1,439,700	544,936	628,400	311,277
FORKS	168,200	74,808	-	-	-	-
HOES	8,399,800	2,431,756	376,000	146,640	-	-
BY HAND	3,200	1,057	386,700	149,606	590,100	204,975
TOTAL	916,807,600	67,431,668	555,391,800	29,432,356	330,589,600	25,110,839

GEAR	SOUTH ATLANTIC, 1951		GULF, 1951		PACIFIC, 1951	
	POUNDS	VALUE	POUNDS	VALUE	POUNDS	VALUE
PURSE SEINES	184,952,500	$1,838,991	357,958,600	$4,872,056	1/553,390,000	1/$23,586,105
HAUL SEINES	23,121,200	1,661,287	10,875,200	1,114,585	1,701,800	187,945
GILL NETS	16,924,900	2,017,177	22,559,500	2,530,126	2/34,733,100	2/6,583,082
TRAMMEL NETS	490,600	128,958	8,453,500	1,098,835	(2)	(2)
LINES	17,777,500	1,318,985	37,897,400	5,557,144	338,852,200	53,180,194
POUND NETS	14,207,600	579,742	-	-	276,500	48,697
WEIRS	-	-	-	-	235,300	188,238
FYKE OR DROP NETS	202,200	16,032	1,154,300	138,233	258,800	54,170
DIP NETS	47,500	19,960	407,900	47,096	2,625,000	523,399
CAST NETS	407,200	84,117	414,100	39,092	-	-
BAG NETS	-	-	-	-	197,700	13,541
REEF NETS	-	-	-	-	4,023,300	740,181
OTTER TRAWLS	37,899,500	7,937,866	195,355,100	44,278,033	89,019,700	5,716,554
BEAM TRAWLS	-	-	-	-	773,100	69,743
CHANNEL NETS	235,400	54,142	-	-	-	-
BRUSH TRAPS	-	-	242,900	123,879	-	-
SLAT TRAPS	-	-	57,900	13,411	-	-
OTHER TRAPS	-	-	-	-	24,691,100	3,513,540
POTS	9,488,000	778,485	2,405,600	332,159	-	-
HARPOONS	-	-	-	-	1,185,300	163,408
SPEARS	229,600	44,088	40,700	9,464	-	-
DREDGES	1,952,000	681,282	7,193,800	1,768,750	3/7,861,200	3/1,740,829
TONGS	269,500	106,966	4,550,200	1,562,292	(3)	(3)
RAKES	271,300	108,498	-	-	848,400	252,655
GRABS	1,509,100	376,255	11,500	4,025	-	-
SHOVELS	-	-	-	-	682,700	339,736
BRAIL OR SCOOP NETS	-	-	-	-	4,963,800	136,879
HOOKS	-	-	9,800	66,073	-	-
DIVING OUTFITS	-	-	6,400	44,882	816,800	364,596
BY HAND	797,900	213,279	74,100	23,030	(3)	(3)
TOTAL	310,783,500	17,966,110	649,668,500	63,623,165	1,067,135,800	97,403,492

GEAR	LAKES, 1951		MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES, 1950	
	POUNDS	VALUE	POUNDS	VALUE
PURSE SEINES	5,908,100	$509,828	-	-
HAUL SEINES	-	-	27,121,300	$2,088,196
GILL NETS	37,797,900	5,371,912	8,853,500	1,059,977
TRAMMEL NETS	-	-	4,532,000	571,758

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UNITED STATES AND ALASKA - CATCH BY GEAR - Continued

GEAR	LAKES, 1951		MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES, 1950	
	POUNDS	VALUE	POUNDS	VALUE
LINES	275,500	$103,901	10,437,200	$2,319,451
POUND NETS	5,807,500	673,206	356,700	36,910
TRAP NETS	18,981,100	3,818,257	-	-
FYKE OR DROP NETS	1,376,000	186,483	26,669,300	3,389,652
DIP NETS	-	-	2,483,700	24,355
OTHER TRAPS	-	-	2,096,900	177,555
SPEARS	-	-	21,000	1,050
CROWFOOT BARS	-	-	22,449,100	379,806
TONGS	-	-	156,600	3,238
RAKES	-	-	90,000	1,880
GRABS	-	-	135,200	33,804
DIVING OUTFITS	-	-	185,900	3,862
BY HAND	-	-	207,400	12,635
TOTAL	70,146,100	10,663,587	105,795,800	10,104,129

GEAR	ALASKA, 1951		TOTAL, VARIOUS YEARS	
	POUNDS	VALUE	POUNDS	VALUE
PURSE SEINES	85,498,527	$8,909,037	1,746,278,027	$46,450,818
HAUL SEINES	-	-	80,667,900	6,712,780
STOP SEINES	-	-	32,472,400	499,909
GILL NETS	59,478,168	7,342,590	203,094,368	27,374,657
TRAMMEL NETS	-	-	13,476,100	1,799,551
TANGLE NETS	214,401	36,631	214,401	36,631
LINES	147,435,598	10,018,303	599,086,398	75,284,205
POUND NETS	103,730,305	11,753,822	231,080,605	16,585,234
TRAP NETS	-	-	18,981,100	3,818,257
FLOATING TRAPS	-	-	7,214,500	413,763
WEIRS	-	-	20,938,000	504,617
STOP NETS	-	-	38,400	2,230
FYKE OR DROP NETS	-	-	32,963,000	4,128,803
DIP NETS	-	-	10,039,800	809,974
CAST NETS	-	-	821,300	123,209
BAG NETS	-	-	245,800	26,760
LIFT NETS	-	-	100,000	1,000
REEF NETS	-	-	4,023,300	740,181
OTTER TRAWLS	1,791,631	192,021	1,105,916,531	104,945,459
BEAM TRAWLS	1,707,816	179,301	2,567,416	296,619
CHANNEL NETS	-	-	235,400	54,142
BRUSH TRAPS	-	-	242,900	123,879
SLAT TRAPS	-	-	62,400	13,501
OTHER TRAPS	-	-	26,837,000	3,701,001
POTS	5,482,416	478,387	86,939,916	12,877,362
HARPOONS	-	-	1,498,600	275,357
SPEARS	-	-	295,100	55,370
SCRAPES	-	-	4,467,100	829,460
DREDGES	-	-	99,765,600	33,099,323
CROWFOOT BARS	-	-	22,449,100	379,806
TONGS	-	-	31,191,500	11,970,624
RAKES	-	-	8,129,000	2,083,058
FORKS	-	-	168,200	74,808
HOES	-	-	8,775,800	2,578,396
GRABS	-	-	1,655,800	414,084
SHOVELS	2,387,834	350,148	3,070,534	689,884
BRAIL OR SCOOP NETS	-	-	4,963,800	136,879
HOOKS	-	-	9,800	66,073
DIVING OUTFITS	-	-	1,009,100	413,340
BY HAND	-	-	2,059,400	604,582
TOTAL	407,726,696	39,260,240	4,414,045,396	360,995,586

1/ THE CATCH OF RING AND LAMPARA NETS IN CALIFORNIA HAS BEEN INCLUDED WITH PURSE SEINES.
2/ THE CATCH OF TRAMMEL NETS IN CALIFORNIA HAS BEEN INCLUDED WITH GILL NETS.
3/ THE CATCH OF DREDGES, TONGS, AND BY HAND IN WASHINGTON HAS BEEN INCLUDED WITH DREDGES.

NOTE:--DATA ARE NOT AVAILABLE ON THE QUANTITY AND VALUE OF THE CATCH BY TYPES OF GEAR IN ALASKA. HOWEVER, THE TOTAL CATCH HAS BEEN ALLOCATED TO THE VARIOUS GEAR THROUGH ESTIMATES. THE CATCH OF ALL TRAPS IN ALASKA HAS BEEN CREDITED TO POUND NETS.

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